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New U.S. Patent Application

Title: SEQUENCES UPSTREAM OF THE CARP GENE, VECTORS CONTAINING THEM AND USES THEREOF

Inventors: Patrick BENOIT et al.

Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with this patent application.

- 1. Application- 34 pages, including 2 independent claims and 39 claims total.
- 2. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

Basic Application Filing Fee					\$740	\$	740.00
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims			
Total Claims	39	-	20	19	x \$18		342
Independent Claims	2	-	3	0	x \$84		0
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3. A check for \$1082 is enclosed. The fee includes:

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- 4. Drawings- 8 sheets of drawings (Figures 1-5, 6A, 6B, 7A, 7B, and 9).
- 5. Also enclosed is a Sequence Listing, including a paper copy (7 pages) and a computer readable version.

Applicants claim the right to priority based on Provisional Patent Application No. 60/251,582, filed December 7, 2000.

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This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f). Applicants await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the Declaration.

Please accord this application an application number and filing date.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees due and any other fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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1. Postcard Requesting New Serial Number and Filing Date

2. Transmittal Letter for filing new patent application

3. Check in the amount of \$1082.00 to cover the filing fee

4. New Patent Application (34 pp. including title page and abstract)

5. Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §1.821-1.825

6. Sequence Listing (paper and computer readable copies)

7. Eight Sheets of Formal Drawings, depicting Figs. 1-5, 6A, 6B, 7A, 7B, and 8

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